



Richard Dale Smith

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Mr. Richard Dale Smith, "Rick", of Dagsboro, DE passed away unexpectedly on Monday, September 23, 2019. He was 57 years old.

Rick was born in Wheeling, WV on July 17, 1962 to the late Charles E. and Freda Smith. In addition to his parents he is also preceded in death by a brother Jimmy Smith.

He was employed by Quality Heating & Air Co. where he worked as a Superintendent for the last twelve years. Some of his hobbies included carpentry, woodworking, and working in his garage. Rick was known as a hard worker, honest, friendly and a family man who will be missed dearly.

He is survived by his wife of 30 years, Melissa Bailey Smith of Dagsboro, DE; three daughters, Heidi Smith (Nathan Sprout) of Georgetown, DE; Taylor Smith and Nicole Smith both of Dagsboro, DE; two brothers, Eddie Smith, Chuck Smith and a sister Debbie Smith all of WV. He is also survived by his aunt Debbie and Uncle George of Dagsboro as well as a granddaughter Hayden. He also leaves behind nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

A funeral service will be held at 1:00 PM on Sunday, September 29, 2019 at the Watson Funeral Home, 211 S. Washington St., Millsboro, DE 19966, where friends may call from 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM for viewing and visitation. Burial will follow at the Dagsboro Redmens Memorial Cemetery.



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In lieu of flowers the family suggests donations to St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

Letters of condolence may be emailed via

www.watsonfh.com



Tribute Wall

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DM

Daniel Macdonald lit a candle in honor of Richard.

I did not know Rich personally, only as a co-worker. I knew him for many years and he was one of the hardest working men I knew. He was very well respected in our industry and gone too soon. God speed and my condolences to the family.

September 28 at 8:00 PM



RP

Richard Parker lit a candle in honor of Richard.

I am sorry to hear of his passing. Ive worked with Rick many times over the years. He was a great man that i highly respected. My thoughts and payers to everyone.

September 28 at 8:00 PM



ES

Expression Of Sympathy lit a candle in honor of Richard.

A SPATHIPHYLLUM was ordered on September 27, 2019

September 26 at 8:00 PM



KS

Kimberly Sprout lit a candle in honor of Richard.

Our heartfelt condolences to Melissa & girls. Rick was kind and good natured. Always lending a helping hand to other and it was greatly appreciated. He will be sadly missed. Jeff & Kim Sprout

September 25 at 8:00 PM



ES

Expression Of Sympathy lit a candle in honor of Richard.

A STRUCTURED DESIGN IN RED AND WHITE was ordered on September 26, 2019

September 25 at 8:00 PM



ES

Expression Of Sympathy lit a candle in honor of Richard.

A TRADITION AND SPLENDOR was ordered on September 26, 2019

September 25 at 8:00 PM





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DE

Deb On Behalf Of Beebe Plant Engineering lit a candle in honor of Richard.

Rick did a lot of work for us here at Beebe. He worked for various mechanical contractors but never hesitated to help us out when we needed it. His demeanor was always kind and considerate. I don't ever recall seeing him upset or angry at anyone. This in itself was amazing to me because QH&A seemed like they were always trying to catch up on every job they did. He will truly be missed. Him being gone is very very hard to believe. Our hearts go out to his family and friends. It a shock to us all. We at Plant Engineering -Beebe- are very appreciative for having known him.

September 25 at 8:00 PM



ES

Expression Of Sympathy lit a candle in honor of Richard.

A SENTIMENTAL THOUGHTS was sent on September 26, 2019 Wishing you Peace & Comfort at this difficult time. Jeff & Kim Sprout

September 25 at 8:00 PM



KB

Kim & Eddie Brewington lit a candle in honor of Richard.

We loved Rick from the first time we meet him many years ago . I thoughts and prayers are with you and your family

September 24 at 8:00 PM



BM

Bonnie Mason lit a candle in honor of Richard.

He will be missed every day. I'm always here for you all my love and prayers for you and the girls and the many friends and family he has left behind ❤️

September 24 at 8:00 PM



BW

Bob And Wanda lit a candle in honor of Richard.

We were surprised to learn of Ricks' passing. Our hearts go out to you and the girls. We hope you can find some comfort with all the special memories you have. God bless you

September 24 at 8:00 PM





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DW

Dana Wilkins lit a candle in honor of Richard.

I am so sorry for ur loss Melissa and they family i am sending my prayers and love 2 u all

September 24 at 8:00 PM



DB

Debbie Basara lit a candle in honor of Richard.

I know Rick will be missed by everyone . He was a very kind & special person. Prayers go out to you and your family. I am here if you need anything.

September 24 at 8:00 PM



BM

Beverly Mitchell lit a candle in honor of Richard.

So sad for his passing. What a wonderful long time 4 wheeler friend he was. Prayers to the family.

September 24 at 8:00 PM



LD

Leasa Derrickson lit a candle in honor of Richard.

Sorry my friend I wish there something I can do all I can say Time will heal love you my friend my hearts with you

September 24 at 8:00 PM





Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Richard by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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